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Dear Mr. Ellis,

Especially when you consider his limitations, Bill did very well!

I don't recall whether he mentioned mine, but I must sit with my legs elevated, so please excuse the typing.

If you would like to visit, I'll tell you how. If you had in mind phoning, I'm home most of the time, although I have early-morning physical therapy. But I'm almost always home before 10.

I've forgotten exactly where Berryville is but I think you'd likely cross the river on US340 rather than via the Washington beltway.The road from the beltway, I270, looses that identity at the first Frederick cloverleaf. It continues as US 15 and briefly also as US40W. US 340 feeds in to this extension of I270, after it becomes US 15. Stay on it to Exit 7, which is marked Hood College and Fort Detrick. Exiting there puts you on Rosemont Avenue. Turn right on it, toward Fort Detrick, but take the first road to the left, Shookstown Road. It is less than a good-sized city block from the exit. Stay on Shookstown Road for about three miles, until you see Old Receiver Road, which is on the right. Let me give you a few landmarks and suggestions.

Once on Shookstown Road you'll be in a valley, narrow road, 25 mph limit sometimes enforced. When you get to the base of Gambrill Mountain there will be a crossraod, Bowers on the left and Kemp on the right. At that point you start going uphill and are in the village of Shookstown. After about the equivalent of four city blocks Old Receiver is on the right. About a city block on Old Receiver is a poorly-mark fork. Sta left. All the other landmarks now are on the right. First a small, white frame bungalow, then a larger, single-storey brick house with a large carport and TV mast, then a patch of woods. Our woods. At this point you are going down a short S-curve hill. When the road flattens briefly at the bottom of that hill you'll see our number on the large mailbox and the paved lane that goes to our house only.

Thanks and I hope ypu can come.

Best wishes,

Harold Weisberg